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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YUTAKA BAN, ET AL.

Appln. No.: 10/798,411

Filed: March 12, 2004

For: TONER SUPPLY CONTAINER
DETACHABLY MOUNTED TO AN IMAGE
FORMING APPARATUS INCLUDING A
COUPLING PROJECTION

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Examiner: R. Beatty

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Group Art Unit: 2852

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April 29, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

NOT
Entered